

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant, by counsel, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a) hereby requests a three (3) month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed February 26, 2003. A check is enclosed as payment for the extension of time fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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